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Title

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TRANSMITTING

SYNCHRONIZATION INFORMATION WITH DATA

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Office Action of the Examiner mailed August 12, 1993 from the Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application, applicants respectfully request that the following remarks be considered.

## REMARKS

The Examiner has rejected claims 1-7 under 35 U.S.C. 103 as being unpatentable over Whittington.

Applicants believe that the Examiner has mischaracterized the teachings of the present invention, and that Whittington neither teaches nor suggests the present invention.

The present invention is directed to a method and system for inserting synchronization information into an input data stream

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